



PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 05997.0013-03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Paul A. THOMAS et al.) Group Art Unit: 3694
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Application No.: 10/813,260) Examiner: Samica L. Norman
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Filed: March 31, 2004)
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For: RISK-BASED REFERENCE POOL) Confirmation No.: 5447
CAPITAL REDUCING SYSTEMS)
AND METHODS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office
Action of December 28, 2007, extending the due date to April 28, 2008. A fee of
\$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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